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2. MOLA EXCELLENT TALKS YESTERDAY WITH CHINA DIAO, CHINESE  
MINISTER OF DEFENSE. WE AGREED COMPLETELY IN OUR GLOBAL  
ASSESSMENT AND RENG SHOWED GREAT INTEREST IN MOVING  
FORWARD IN U.S. TECHNOLOGY AND MILITARY TRANSFERS.

3. INFORMED HIM OF THE PRESIDENT'S DIRECTION TO EXPAND  
TECHNOLOGY TRANSFERS AND TO FORSTOOL AND SALE TO CHINA  
ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS, AND CHINA EXPRESSED APPRECIATION

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3. I PROPOSED THAT VICK CHIEF OF THE GENERAL STAFF, GENERAL LIU HUOQING, REVISIT THE U.S. FOR FURTHER DISCUSSIONS OF R&D REQUIREMENTS WITH DON IN AUGUST. GPNR AGREED.

4. ARMITAGE WAS GIVEN A LIST OF THESE ADDITIONAL REQUESTS TODAY.

5. I TALK REAG. OF YOUR INTEREST IN VISITING CHINA LATER THIS YEAR OR EARLY NEXT YEAR. THEY HAVE NOT YET REPLIED FORMALLY, BUT IN A JUNE 10 MEETING AT THE MND, THE CHINESE TOLD RICH ARMITAGE THAT THEY TOOK YOUR DESIRE TO VISIT AS "GOOD NEWS" AND INQUIRED WHEN YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO COME. (RICH TOLD THEM TOWARD THE END OF 1981 OR VERY EARLY IN 1982.) I EXPECT YOU WILL BE HEARING FROM THEM SHORTLY.  
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3. INFORMED HIM OF THE PRESIDENT'S DECISION TO EXPAND TECHNOLOGY TRANSFERS AND TO CONSIDER ARMS SALES TO CHINA ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS, AND GENG EXPRESSED APPRECIATION  
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